RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED EXAMINING GROUP 2621 Attorney Docket No. 09812.0139-00 CUSTOMER NUMBER 22.852

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In re Application of:)
Atsushi MAE et al.) Group Art Unit: 2621
Application No.: 10/590,475	Examiner: Nguyen, Huy Thanh
Filed: June 28, 2007) Confirmation No. 9711
For: Recording Apparatus and Method, Recording Medium, and Program)))

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the final Office Action mailed November 23, 2010, the period for response extending to February 23, 2011, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper.